Statement-II

The expenditure incurred in connection with the schemes implemented by various organisation with Central Assistance.

Name of Schemes	Target & Capacity (No. of Animals)	Weight; of meat produced in Tons.
1. *Development of Pork Processing:*		
(i) Guwahati	100 pigs per day	3.5
(ii) Karnataka	150 pigs per day	5.2
(iii) Mijoram	100 pigs per day	3.5
(iv) Nagaland	50 pigs per day	1.75
2. *Development of Buffalo Meat Processing:*		
(i) Punjab	250 animal per day	33.00
(ii) Karnataka	300 animal per day	40.00
(iii) Maharashtra	150 animal per day	20.00
3. *Development of Sheep & Goat Processing:*		
(i) Guwahati	2000 sheep & goat per day.	20.00
(ii) Karnataka	5000 sheep & goat per day	50.00

Expansion and Modernisation of FPI

1149. SHRI SURESH PACHOURI: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether the new economic policy had provided a boost to diversification, expansion and modernisation of food processing industries;

(b) if so, whether foreign investors had also shown keen interest in this sector;

(c) if so, whether a large number of foreign collaborations have been approved;

(d) what is the total percentage of foreign equity investment in the field of food processing sector;

(e) whether Government have also evolved a number of development schemes for the industries;

(f) if so, what are the details thereof; and

(g) to what extent these measures have boosted the food processing industries in the country ?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Yes, Sir.

(d) While the total investment in respect of the proposals involving Foreign Collaboration is around Rs. 5481 crores, the Foreign Equity investment is approximately Rs. 2206 crores.

(e) Yes, Sir.

(f) Summary of Plan Schemes is given in the enclosed Statement. (*See* below).

(g) As a result of various measures taken by the Govt. considerable investment is attracted in this sector. Till June '94, 2680 Industrial Entrepreneur Memoranda involving an investment of Rs. 34469 crores have been filed for setting up food processing industries.

Besides approval for setting up Food Processing Units under 100 per cent Export Oriented Unit, Joint Venture etc. has been granted involving an investment of about Rs. 7,060 crores.

Statement

Summary of Plan Schemes

A. GRAIN PROCESSING SECTOR.

1. Post Harvest Technology Centre, IIT, Kharagpur.
2. Paddy Processing Research Centre, Thanjavur.
3. Regional Extension Service Centres.
4. Research and Development Schemes.
5. Rice Milling Machinery and Allied Equipments Testing Centres.
6. Modernisation of Rice Mills.
7. Setting up of Food Engineering Centre.

B. FRUIT & VEGETABLE PROCESSING.

1. Scheme for setting up food processing and training centres in the rural areas.
2. Scheme for assistance for establishment of F&VP units.
3. Scheme for strengthening backward linkages between processors and growers. Testing Centres.
4. Scheme for assistance for development of infrastructure for mushroom cultivation and processing.
5. Assistance for development and processing of Hops.
6. Generic advertising on processed foods and for providing marketing assistance.
7. R & D F & VP.
8. Assistance for infrastructure for F&VP.

C. MEAT & POULTRY PROCESSING.

1. Establishment of National Livelistock Products Development Council.
2. Development of pork processing.
3. Development of sheep goat and rabbit meat processing.
4. Development of Poultry & egg processing.
5. Development of Buffalo meat processing.
6. Development of infrastructure for storage and transport of meat for export.
7. Development of marketing facility.
8. Development of trained manpower for meat processing industry.
9. R & D for meat processing and specialised packaging.

D. FISHERIES & FISH PROCESSING.

1. Assistance for participation in deep sea fishing and processing.
2. Grant-in-aid providing interest subsidy on loan for acquisition of deep sea fishing vessel.
3. Assistance for diversified fishing.
4. Assistance for effective implementation of MZI Act by providing

funds for installation of communication facilities for the Coast Guard.

5. Scheme for setting up of cold chain.

6. Scheme for tuna and other fish processing.

7. Assistance to National Marine Fisheries Development Board.

8. Fishery Survey of India.

E. CONSUMER INDUSTRY.

1. R & D scheme on soyabean products and Indian traditional foods & packaging.

2. Investment in Public Sector Enterprises. (a) MFIL (b) NERAMAC.

F. SECRETARIAT ECONOMIC SERVICES.

1. Scheme for strengthening of nodal agencies.

2. Scheme for strengthening of Directorate of F&VP for information, training, education and quality system for development of F&VP.

3. Scheme for participation in National and international exhibitions.

4. Scheme for promotion studies in food processing.

5. Scheme for performance awards in Food Processing Industries.

National Policy on FPI

1150. SHRI RAMDAS AGARWAL: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have decided to formulate a National Policy on Food Processing to give a further push to the food processing sector as reported in the 'Hindustan Times' of 17th July, 1994;

(b) if so, what are the salient featuree thereof; and

(c) how many memoranda envisaging a cumulative likely investment of Rs. 34,166 crores have been received for food processing and how many foreign collaborations and joint ventures for setting up export were approved till date in urban and non-urban areas with indication of direct employment likely to be generated?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI TARUN GOGOI): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Policy is to address the issues for accelerated development of Food Processing Industries with a view to augment employment opportunities and income both in the rural and urban areas, reduce post-harvest losses, establish productive linkages between the industry and the farmers, increase export of processed food and generally support productive effort of agricultural and allied activities.

(c) Since liberalisation till May, 1994, 2646 Industrial Entrepreneur Memoranda involving an investment of Rs. 34,166 crores have been filed for setting up Food Processing Industries. Besides approval has been given for setting up Food Processing Units under 100 per cent Export Oriented Scheme, Joint Venture/Foreign Collaboration etc. Out of the total 516 such approvals 446 relate to non-urban areas and 70 to urban areas. Total direct employment likely to be generated in these projects including those for which Industrial Entrepreneur Memoranda have been filed would be approximately 5,06,850 in non-urban areas and 52,629 in urban areas.

Norms adopted in Deep Sea Fishing Policy

1151. SHRI S. VIDUTHALAI VIRUMBI: Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) what are the conditions stipulated or norms adopted in the Deep Sea Fishing Policy;